### **MINUTES**

# MONTANA SENATE 59th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

# COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND IRRIGATION

Call to Order: By CHAIRMAN KEN (KIM) HANSEN, on January 17, 2005 at 3:00 P.M., in Room 422 Capitol.

### ROLL CALL

#### Members Present:

Sen. Ken (Kim) Hansen, Chairman (D)

Sen. Keith Bales (R)

Sen. Lane L. Larson (D)

Sen. Gerald Pease (D)

Sen. Frank Smith (D)

Sen. Corey Stapleton (R)

Sen. Donald J. Steinbeisser (R)

#### Members Excused:

Sen. Jon Tester (D)

Sen. John Brueggeman (R)

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Annie Glover, Committee Secretary

Doug Sternberg, Legislative Branch

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

#### Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: SB 215, 1/13/2005

Executive Action: None.

00:00:04

### HEARING ON SB 215

00:00:21

<u>Opening Statement by Sponsor</u>: SEN. DAN MCGEE (R), SD 29, opened the hearing on SB 215, Survey monument preservation.

00:05:18

# <u>Proponents' Testimony</u>:

Mr. Stewart Nash, Licensed Land Surveyor

Mr. Jim Kembel, Montana Association of Land Surveyors

Mr. Jim Currie, Montana Department of Transportation

Opponents' Testimony: None.

Informational Testimony: None.

00:09:31

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:22:22

Closing by Sponsor:

# ADJOURNMENT

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SEN. KEN (KIM) HANSEN, Chairman

ANNIE GLOVER, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

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